

By Mr. COOPER: Memorial of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, memorializing Congress to amend section 5219 of the Revised Statutes of the United States relative to the taxation by the several States of shares of stock in national bank associations; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. AINEY: A bill (H. R. 6540) for the relief of David Leonard; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. FESS: A bill (H. R. 6541) granting a pension to Mary L. Nash; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. McANDREWS: A bill (H. R. 6542) granting an increase of pension to John K. McBain; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. POWERS: A bill (H. R. 6543) for the relief of H. B. Howard; to the Committee on War Claims.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6544) granting a pension to Jicie B. Smith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. REILLY of Connecticut: A bill (H. R. 6545) granting an increase of pension to Julia M. Smith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. RUPLEY: A bill (H. R. 6546) granting an increase of pension to Margaret Spencer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6547) granting an increase of pension to Christianne C. Mentzer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6548) granting an increase of pension to John E. Frymier; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. SINNOTT: A bill (H. R. 6549) granting a pension to Elizabeth A. Shull; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6550) granting a pension to Daniel J. Cooper; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6551) granting a pension to John Prater; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6552) granting a pension to Thomas W. Botkin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. VARE: A bill (H. R. 6553) for the relief of William Force; to the Committee on Claims.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6554) for the relief of Maria N. Kulicke; to the Committee on Claims.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6555) granting a pension to Matthew F. Whitcomb; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6556) granting a pension to Mary J. Nelms; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6557) granting a pension to Elizabeth A. Sheridan; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6558) granting a pension to Margaret McCafferty; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6559) granting an increase of pension to Dennis P. Parker; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 6560) granting an increase of pension to George D. Wilson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. WALLIN: A bill (H. R. 6561) for the relief of Cathrine E. Morris; to the Committee on Claims.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

By Mr. BROWN of New York: Petition of the Sag Harbor Yacht Club and the Sag Harbor (N. Y.) Board of Trade, favoring the retention of Sag Harbor as a port of entry; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. COOPER: Petition of the board of directors of the Janesville (Wis.) Commercial Club, favoring an amendment to the Stanley bill (H. R. 23133) so as to exclude lumber products; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. JOHNSON of Washington: Petition of sundry citizens of the State of Washington, with reference to land grants to the Oregon & California Railroad Co.; to the Committee on the Public Lands.

By Mr. WALLIN: Petition of the Rotterdam Junction (N. Y.) Local, Socialist Party, favoring an investigation of the trial and sentence of Alexander Scott, of Passaic, N. J.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Also, papers to accompany bill for the relief of Cathrine E. Morris; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. YOUNG of North Dakota: Petition of sundry merchants of the second congressional district of North Dakota, favoring a change in the interstate-commerce laws of the United States relative to selling goods by mail directly to the consumers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

SENATE.

SATURDAY, June 28, 1913.

The Senate met at 2 o'clock p. m.

The Chaplain, Rev. Forrest J. Prettyman, D. D., offered the following prayer:

Almighty God, we have come to the closing day of this week with a record left behind us not only in the history of this great Nation but as it enters into the individual life of the citizenship of the Nation, a record which Thy servants in the Senate must also meet at the final judgment.

We pray Thee to forgive all Thou hast seen wrong, correct all mistakes that we have made, and overrule all human blunders. Give to us as never before a willingness to follow the divine guidance in the discharge of every duty and a supreme passion to bring about the accomplishment of Thy will in this great land. And as we face the coming day with its holy memories and its sacred associations, give us the spirit of God on the Lord's day that we may learn better than ever before what is the will of God, and have the grace to follow it. For Christ's sake. Amen.

The Secretary proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday's proceedings when, on request of Mr. Smoot and by unanimous consent, the further reading was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

A message from the House of Representatives, by D. K. Hempstead, its enrolling clerk, announced that the House had passed the bill (S. 2272) providing for an increase in the number of midshipmen at the United States Naval Academy after June 30, 1913.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED.

The message also announced that the Speaker of the House had signed the enrolled bill (H. R. 1917) making appropriations for the current and contingent expenses of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, for fulfilling treaty stipulations with various Indian tribes, and for other purposes, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and it was thereupon signed by the Vice President.

PETITIONS.

Mr. GALLINGER presented petitions of Abbott H. Thayer and Gerald H. Thayer, of Monadnock, N. H., and E. C. McCollum, of the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis., praying for the adoption of the clause in Schedule N of the pending tariff bill prohibiting the importation of the plumage of certain wild birds, which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

Bills were introduced, read the first time, and, by unanimous consent, the second time, and referred as follows:

By Mr. SMOOT:

A bill (S. 2656) to correct the military record of Thomas Smith; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A bill (S. 2657) for the relief of William S. McCornick; and

A bill (S. 2658) for the relief of Lewis B. McCornick; to the Committee on Public Lands.

ADJOURNMENT TO WEDNESDAY.

Mr. SIMMONS. Mr. President, I move that the Senate adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday next.

The motion was agreed to; and (at 2 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.) the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, July 2, 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SATURDAY, June 28, 1913.

The House met at 12 o'clock noon.

The Chaplain, Rev. Henry N. Couden, D. D., offered the following prayer:

Eternal and ever-living God, our heavenly Father, we thank Thee for the sublime faith and eternal hope which through all the vicissitudes of the past have moved men toward the higher ideals and made them heroes in the common duties of life. Increase our faith, brighten our hopes, that with unselfish devotion and earnest endeavor we may increase our efficiency and render unto Thee and our fellow men faithful and devoted service. In Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was read and approved.

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE.

Mr. UNDERWOOD. Mr. Speaker, if it is agreeable to both sides of the House, next week being the week in which the Fourth of July occurs, and many Members of the House desiring to be